Docket No. 03500.014345.

Examiner: Roberta A. Shand

Art Unit: 2616

Date: June 22, 2006

In re Application of:

KATSUMI KARASAWA

Application No.: 09/525,056

Filed: March 14, 2000

For: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS

AND METHOD

Mail Stop Amendment The Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

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,	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		
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INDEP. CLAIMS	* 9	MINUS	***	= 0	x \$100 \$200	\$ 0		
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X	Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.
	Respectfully submitted,
	Raymond A. DiPerna
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 22, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

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